MR. K. R. NARAYANAN : അംഗീകാരം കൊടുക്കുന്നതിന് സ്കൂളുകളും തമ്മിൽ എന്തുകലമുണ്ടായിരിക്കണം?

MR. P. PARAMESVARAN PILLAI: ഒരു മൈൽ.

MR. K. R. NARAYANAN : വടുവൂർ സ്കൂളിനു അംഗീകാരം കൊടുക്കാത്തതിനുള്ള കാരണം എന്താണ്?

MR. P. PARAMESVARAN PILLAI: ഈ രണ്ടു സ്കൂളിനും അംഗീകാരം കൊടുത്തിട്ടില്ല.

Higher studies in Ayurveda.

302 *MR. K. R. NARAYANAN: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether any one has gone for higher studies in Ayurveda with Government help;

(*b*) if so, will they be pleased to state the following information about them:

(i) the caste to which they belong;

(ii) amount of scholarship given to each of them; and

(iii) whether any one of them after completing his study is an applicant for a post here?

MR. P. PARAMESVARAN: (*a*) Yes; three persons.

(*b*) 1. Hindu-Nayar.
2. Christian-Latin Catholic.
3. Hindu-Brahmin.

(ii) Br. Rs. 30 per mensem for the years and Br. Rs. 40 per mensem for a further period of two years and 9 months was paid to (1) above for prosecution of studies at the Benares Hindu University.

Br. Rs. 35 per mensem for a period of 10 months from 1-7-33 was paid to (2) above for studies at the Government School of Indian Medicine, Madras.

Br. Rs. 2,200 was paid to the person mentioned as (3) above for research in a German University.

(iii) There is no applicant at present.

Commercial Assistants in the Transport Department.

303 *MR. G. VELU PILLAI: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether one Mr. Kuppuswamy Iyer is appointed as Commercial Assistant in the Transport Department; and

(*b*) if so,

(i) what his qualifications are;

(ii) the salary he is getting;

(iii) whether he was in service anywhere before his appointment; and

(iv) his work in the Department?

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MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR : (*a*) and (*b*) The recruitments to the Transport Department are conducted on the responsibility of the Trans port Superintendent who is under a duty to run the Department on a primarily commercial and profit-making basis.

MR. G. VELU PILLAI : May I know whether Government have no responsibility at all in the matter of appointments in the Transport Department ?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR : The appointments are made on the responsibility of the Transport Superintendent as is stated in the answer.

MR. PADIYARA JOSEPHKUNJU : ഈ ചോദ്യത്തിനുള്ള ഉത്തരമാണോ ഇവിടെ കൊടുത്തിരിക്കുന്നതെന്ന് പ്രസ്താവിക്കുന്നതിന് മയവുണ്ടാകുമോ?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR : Yes the answer is that which is already given.

MR. PADIYARA JOSEPH KUNJU : ചോദ്യം ഇതാണ്.

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(iv) his work in the department ?" ഈ ചോദ്യങ്ങൾക്ക നൽകിയിരിക്കുന്ന മറുപടി.

(*a*) and (*b*). The recruitments to the Transport Department are conducted on the responsibility of the Transport Superintendent who is under a duty to run the Department on a primarily commercial and profit making basis. ഇതാണ്.

ഇതാണോ ഇതിന്റെ ഉത്തരമെന്ന പറയാമോ?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR : I was only referring to the fact that the entire responsibility is with the Superintendent of Transport.

MR. P. KUNJUKRISHNAN : May I know whether the Superintendent is solely responsible for the appointments in the Transport Department.

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR : For certain appointments he is responsible as the department is being run on a commercial basis. That has been declared more than once on the floor of this House, Sir.

MR. PADIYARA JOSEPH KUNJU : ഒരു കുപ്പുസ്വാമിഅയ്യരെ നിയമിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടോ?

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MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR : ഉണ്ട്.

MR. PADIYARA JOSEPH KUNJU : അദ്ദേഹത്തിന്റെ പരീക്ഷായോഗ്യതകൾ എന്തെല്ലാമാണ്?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR : അദ്ദേഹം ബി. എ. ആണ്.

MR. P. KUNJUKRISHNAN: May I know whether the appointments made in the Transport Department are done on the advice of the Public Service Commissioner?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR: No.

MR. G VELU PILLAI: May I know whether Mr. Kuppuswamy Aiyar is a Travancorean?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR: No, Sir.

MR. T. C. KESAVA PILLAI: May I know whether Mr. Salter is a Travancorean?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR: No.

MR. G. VELU PILLAI: May I know whether Mr. Kuppuswamy Aiyar possesses any special qualification necessary for the transport business?

MR. M. K NILAKANTA AIYAR: It is to be persumed that he possesses such qualifications as are needed for the post.

'Ascu' treatment of timber.

304 *MR. G. VELU PILLAI: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of plants installed for the 'Ascu' treatment of timber and the places where they are installed;

(*b*) the total expenditure in connection with the plants:

(*c*) the total cost of timber supplied for 'Ascu' treated timber;

(*d*) the total amount got by selling 'Ascu' treated timber; and

(*e*) the use for which 'Ascu' treated timber is put to by Government?

MR. S. KAMESAM: (*a*) Five plants, one each at Trivandrum, Veli and Pallam and two at Shencottah.

(*b*) Rs. 13,000.

(*c*) About Rs. 20,000.

(*d*) About Rs. 35,000.

(*e*) For constructing rural and other bridges, buildings, pile foundations, for Electrical and Telephone posts, cross-arms, Ceilings, Partitions, fence posts, sub floors and roof trusses.

Ascu treatment.

305 *MR. N. NARAYANA KURUP. Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether any royalty is given to Mr. Kamesam, the Director of Development for his patent of Ascu treatment;

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